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IN RE PCT NATIONAL STAGE APPLICATION OF
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FOR: PROCESS FOR DYEING OR PRINTING
TEXTILE FIBRE MATERIALS WITH GLOSS
PIGMENTS
U.S. APPLICATION NO: 10/530,616
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Group Art Unit:

Examiner:

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.56, Applicants wish to call the Examiner's attention to the references cited on the attached form PTO-1449. Copies of the International Search Report and the references cited therein were supplied when this application entered the U.S. national phase. The International Search Report indicates that US 2003/0075079 is a substantively cumulative English language counterpart of DE 10004888.

Enclosed herewith are copies of EP 0581537, EP 0955404 along with an English language abstract and Textile Chemist & Colorist, (1993), Vol. 25, pp. 31-37.

Applicants would also like to bring to the Examiner's attention copending application No. 10/524,457.

The Examiner is requested to consider the foregoing information in relation to this application and indicate that each reference was considered by returning a copy of the initialed PTO 1449 form.

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U. S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	3,766,105	10/73	Chan	260	15	
	5,766,335	6/98	Bujard et al	106	404	
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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	Translation	
						YES	NO
	10004888	8/01	Germany				
	0581537	2/94	Europe				
	0955404	11/99	Europe				

OTHER DOCUMENTS (including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

	Derwent Abstract 98-415623/36 for EP 0955404 (1999)
	J. Aspland, Textile Chemist and Colorist, Vol. 25, No. 10, (1993), pp. 31-37

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